

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6027  
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TAGS: SHUM, CS, NU  
SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS: LIANA BENAVIDES

REFS: SAN JOSE 5973 AND STATE 289847

THIRTY-FOUR NATIONAL ASSEMBLY DEPUTIES HAVE SIGNED  
AN OPEN LETTER TO THE GON EXPRESSING THEIR HOPE THAT  
THE GON WILL HONOR A PROMISE TO RELEASE LIANA BENAVIDES  
IN DEC. PROMISE WAS ALLEGEDLY MADE AT OCT 26 RIVAS,  
NICARAGUA MEETING BETWEEN GON AND GOCR MINISTERS.  
THE LETTER, PUBLISHED DEC 28, FOLLOWED BY ONE DAY  
A REPORT IN PRO-GOVERNMENT EXCELSIOR THAT NICARAGUAN  
SOURCES HAVE STATED THAT MS. BENAVIDES WOULD NOT  
BE FREED IN LESS THAN TWO MONTHS.  
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